

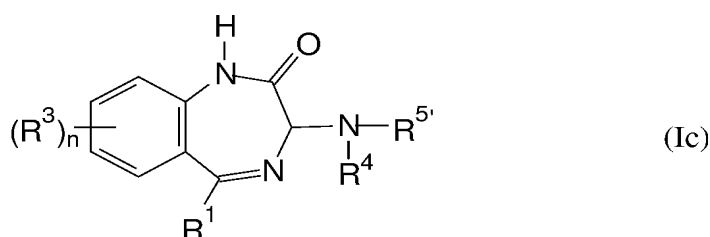
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions of the claims and listing of the claims in the application:

What is claimed is:

1-37. (Canceled)

38. (Currently amended) A compound of formula (Ic), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof,



wherein:

- R^1 is phenyl ~~or methyl~~;
- R^3 is methyl or chlorine;
- n is 0 or 1;
- R^4 is hydrogen or methyl;
- $R^{5'}$ is $-X'$;
- X' is $-\text{CONR}''\text{R}'''$ and
- each R' and R'' is the same or different and represents hydrogen, C_{1-4} alkyl, phenyl, thienyl, cyclohexyl, cyclopentyl or phenyl- $(\text{CH}_2)-$; ~~and~~

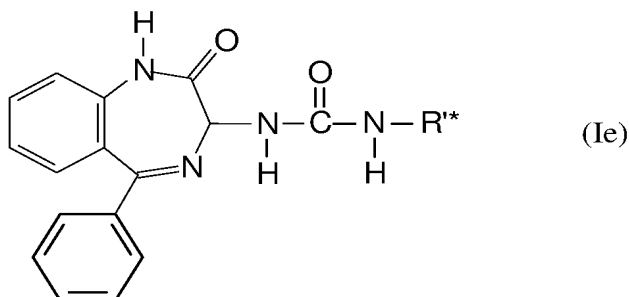
wherein:

the phenyl moiety in the group R^1 being unsubstituted or substituted by a single ~~fluorine, chlorine~~, C_{1-2} alkyl, C_{1-2} alkoxy, C_{1-2} alkylthio, C_{1-2} haloalkyl or C_{1-2} haloalkoxy substituent;

the phenyl, thienyl, cyclohexyl, cyclopentyl or phenyl- $(\text{CH}_2)-$ moieties in the R' and R'' being unsubstituted or substituted by one or two substituents selected from fluorine, chlorine, bromine, ~~C_{1-2} alkyl, C_{1-2} alkoxy, C_{1-2} alkylthio, C_{1-2} haloalkyl~~ and nitro.

39. (Canceled)

40. (Currently amended) A compound of formula (Ie) or pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof



wherein R'' is an aryl group which is unsubstituted or substituted by 1 or 2 substituents selected from fluorine, chlorine, bromine, ~~C₁₋₄-alkyl~~, ~~C₁₋₄-alkylthio~~, ~~C₁₋₄-haloalkyl~~, ~~C₁₋₄-haloalkoxy~~ and nitro.

41. (Currently amended) A compound according to claim 38, selected from
 1,1-Diethyl-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea;
 (S)-1-(2-Fluoro-phenyl)-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea;

1-(4-Nitro-phenyl)-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea;
 1-tert-Butyl-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea;
 1-Cyclohexyl-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea;
 1-Ethyl-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea;
 1-Butyl-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea;
 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

42-49. (Canceled)

50. (Previously presented) The compound of claim 40, wherein R'' is a phenyl group which is unsubstituted or substituted by a single fluorine, chlorine, or bromine substituent.

51. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 40, wherein the compound is (S)-1-(2-Fluoro-phenyl)-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea.

52. (Canceled)

53. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 40, wherein the compound is 1-(4-Nitro-phenyl)-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea.

54. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 40, wherein the compound is 1-Butyl-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea.

55. (Currently amended) A compound according to claim 40 ~~38~~, wherein the compound is 1,1-Diethyl-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea.

56. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 40, wherein the compound is 1-tert-Butyl-3-(2-oxo-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-3-yl)-urea.

57. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 38, wherein R¹ is phenyl.